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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : VENTURELLI  
Serial No : 10/626,076  
Confirm. No. : 4532  
Filed : July 24, 2003  
For : DILATION CATHETER...  
Art Unit : 3743  
Examiner : FERKO, Kathryn P.  
Dated : November 20, 2003

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS  
OF APPLICATION - FILING DATE GRANTED**

Sir:

In response to the Notice To File Missing Parts of Application - Filing Date Granted, mailed on November 6, 2003 please find enclosed a copy of the application as filed on July 24, 2003, evidencing the timely filing of the executed inventor(s) Declaration. We note that no fee is due in view of the timely filing of the inventor(s) Declaration.

We trust that this matter is in order, but if there is any further action required please advise us immediately.

Respectfully submitted  
for Applicant(s)

By:   
John James McGlew  
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